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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Claude DREULLE et al.

Serial No. (unknown)

Filed herewith

Box Non-fee Amendment

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Examiner

BOX FOR SET OF ELECTRIC STORAGE BATTERIES

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to the first Official Action and calculation of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, after line 26, between paragraphs 5 and 6, please insert the below new paragraph:

A1 ~~W~~-Document JP-A-60236454 shows a box comprising rails for receiving removable supports, in which the batteries are placed, and not the batteries themselves. Its is purely an element for storing batteries that allows a visual check of the number and condition of the batteries it contains. ~~W~~

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claims 1-9.

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